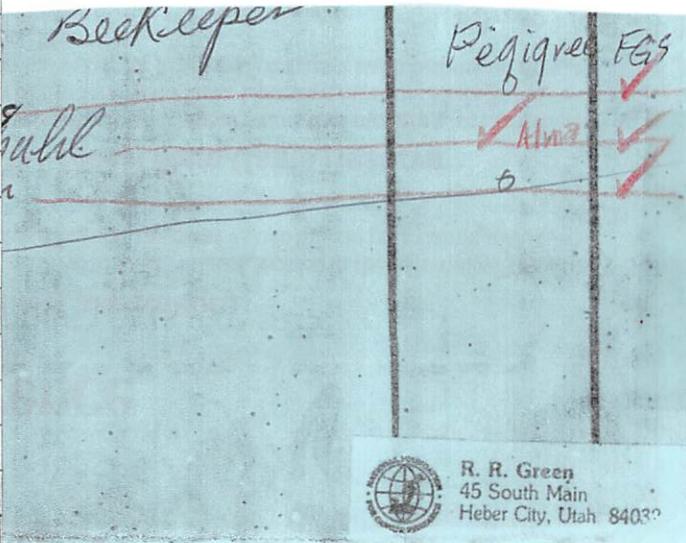


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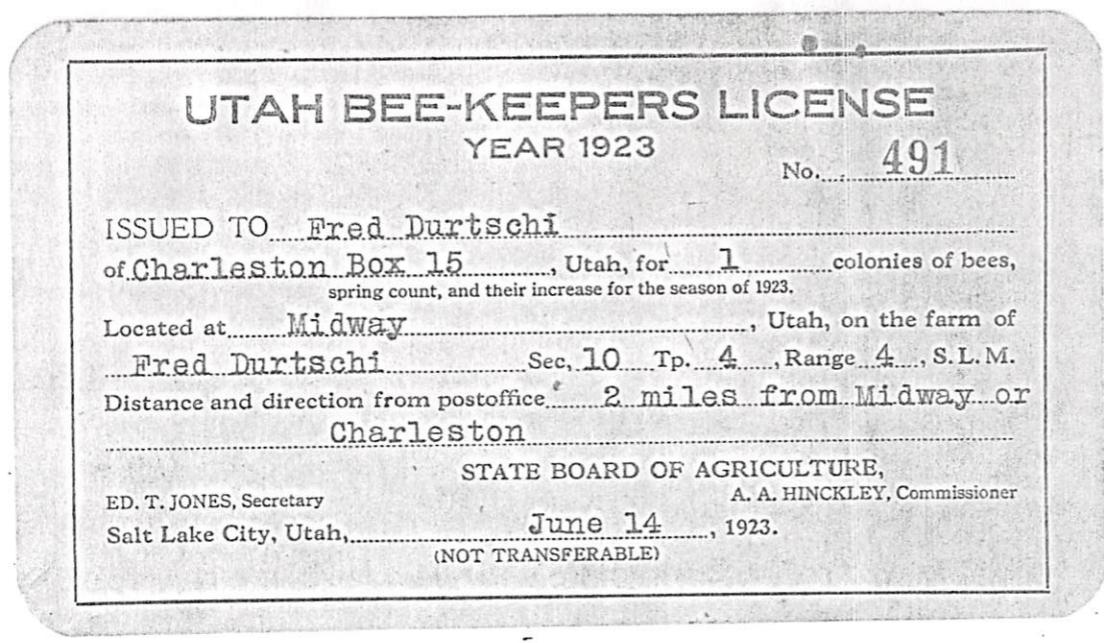
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Friedrich Deutsch, ^{3^r} Family
About 1900
Back Row L. to R.: Lena, Elise (Gertsch),
Ernst, Fred-

Front Row L. to R.: Huldreich, John,
Elise (Mother), Wilhelm (Baby), Adolph,
Friedrich (Father), Alfred, Frieda

Bee keepers



Fred Durtschi Jr. Family
Alice, Fred (Father), Ernest, Walter,
Alma, Freda sitting -
Baby.

At the death of their mother
1911-

Bee Keeper